

REMARKS

The foregoing amendments to the claims of this application provide compliance with the allowable claim set as suggested by Supervisory Patent Examiner Amy Nelson on November 7, 2003. Applicants further respectfully submit as shown in the amendments to the claims, these corrections are minor typographical errors and require no substantial amount of additional work on the part of the PTO. No new matter has been added. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the aforementioned remarks.

Furthermore, Applicants submit the issue fee is being paid separately in the subsequent week.

No fees or extensions of time are believed to be due in connection with this amendment; however, consider this a request for any extension inadvertently omitted, and charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 26-0084.

Respectfully submitted,



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